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THE FACTS ABOUT THE PACKING HOUSES

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form of sausages, which are prepared to be eaten without being cooked.

AN INSTANCE OF SAUSAGE MAKING.

"A particularly glaring instance of uncleanness was found in a room where the best grade of sausage was being prepared for export. It was made from carefully selected meats and was being prepared to be eaten uncooked. In this case the employee carried the chopped-up meat across a room in a barrow, the handles of which were filthy with grease. The meat was then thrown out upon tables and the employee climbed upon the table, handled the meat with his unwashed hands, knelt with his dirty apron and trousers in contact with the meat he was spreading out, and, after he had finished his operation, again took hold of the dirty handles of the wheelbarrow, went back for another load and repeated the process indefinitely. Inquiry developed the fact that there was no water in this room and the only method the man adopted for cleaning his hands was to rub them against his dirty apron or on his still filthier trousers.

"As an extreme example of the entire disregard on the part of employees of any notion of cleanliness in handling dressed meat we saw a hog that had just been killed—cleaned washed and started on its way to the cooling room fall from the sliding rail to a dirty wooden floor and slide part way into a HEALTH OF EMPLOYEES NOT CONSIDERED.

TREATMENT OF EMPLOYEES

"The lack of consideration for the health and comfort of the laborers in the Chicago stockyards seems to be a direct consequence of the system of administration that prevails. The various departments are under the direct control of superintendents, who claim to use full authority in dealing with the employees and who seem to ignore all considerations except those of the account book. Under this system proper care of the products and of the health and comfort of the employees is impossible, and the consumer suffers in consequence. The insanitary conditions in which the laborers work and the feverish pace which they are forced to maintain inevitably affect their health. Physicians state that tuberculosis is disproportionately prevalent in the stockyards, and the victims of this disease exasperate on the spongy wooden floors of the dark workrooms, from which falling scraps of meat are later shoveled up to be converted into food products.

ORDINARY DECENCIES ARE IGNORED.

"Even the ordinary decencies of life are completely ignored. In practically all cases the doors of the toilet rooms open directly into the working rooms, the privies of men and women frequently adjoin, and the entrances are sometimes no more than a foot or two apart. In other cases there are no privies for women in the rooms in which they work, and to reach the nearest it is necessary to go up or down two flights of stairs. In one noticeable instance the privy for the women working in several adjoining rooms was in a room which men chiefly were employed, and every girl going to use this had to pass by the working places of dozens of male operatives and enter the privy, the door of which was not six feet from the working place of one of the men operatives. As previously noted, in the privies for men and women alike, there are no partitions, but simply a long row of open seats.

"Restrooms, where tired women workers might go for a short rest, were found as rare exceptions, and in some establishments women are even placed in charge of privies chiefly for the purpose, it was stated, to see that the girls did not absent themselves too long from their work under the excuse of visiting them. In some instances what was called a rest room was simply one end of the privy partitioned off by a six-foot partition from the remaining enclosure. A few girls were found using this, not only as a restroom, but as the only available place in which to sit to eat their luncheon.

GIRLS WORK STANDING IN WATER.

"Much of the work in connection with the handling of meat has to be carried on in the rooms of a low temperature, but even here a callous disregard was everywhere seen for the comfort of those who worked in these rooms. Girls and women were found in rooms registering a temperature of 38 degrees Fahrenheit without any ventilation whatever, depending entirely upon artificial light. The floors were wet and soggy and in some cases covered with water, so that the girls had to stand in boxes as sawdust as a protection for their feet. In a few cases even drippings from the refrigerator rooms above trickled through the ceiling upon the heads of the workers and upon the food products being prepared. A very slight expense would have furnished drier floors and protected them against the tricklings from the ceiling. It was asserted by the superintendent of these rooms that this low temperature was essential to the proper keeping of the meat, but precisely similar work was found in other establishments carried on in rooms kept at a fair temperature. In many cases girls of 16, 17 and 18 years stand ten hours a day at work, much of which could be carried on while sitting down.

EAT IN A STEELING ATMOSPHERE

"In several establishments well-managed restaurants were provided for the clerical force and in one instance a snacking room was provided for them; but no provision was found anywhere for a place to eat for the male laborers. In pleasant weather they eat their luncheon sitting outdoors along the

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WOMEN WHO CHARM

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CANNOT STOP LICENSE RENEWAL

SENATOR C. H. DICKEY POINTS OUT HOW THE LAW BINDS THE HANDS OF THE LEAGUE.

C. H. Dickey says regarding the fact that the Anti-Saloon League does not seem to be making any efforts to stop the renewal of liquor licenses on July 1:
"This is true, but it is also true that it would be ridiculous to make the attempt under our present liquor law. It reads:

"Section 7. * * * Nor shall any license be issued to any person against the written protest of a majority of the property holders or occupants within one hundred and fifty feet. * * * Whenever the consent required by this section shall have been obtained * * * no further or other consent shall be required for trafficking in liquor on such premises as long as such premises shall be continuously occupied for such traffic."

"This means that licenses may be renewed ad libitum and no protest can stop them except a protest signed by a majority of the registered voters of the whole precinct. This is almost prohibitive, as it takes a long time to canvass the whole precinct and many voters have moved away and cannot be reached. In the meantime the law requires the license to be issued and the treasurer has no right to delay issuing it if the applicant has complied with the law.

"The Anti-Saloon League has stopped the issuance of a number of licenses by their efforts, but it cannot stop renewals."

KAKAOKO RAILWAY TO BE EXTENDED

The Kakaoko Railway is being extended so as to fill in a considerable area of Mrs. Ward's land makai of the coconut grove at the "Old Homestead," and on both sides of the new street that has been cut through from King street to Ala Moana just this side of Thomas Square. It was a part of the agreement with Mrs. Ward when this street was cut through that the government would fill in a certain area. In addition, Mrs. Ward is going to fill in another area herself. The material is that dredged out in making the slips on the water front.

PARADISE OF THE PACIFIC.

The June number of the Paradise of the Pacific came out today and is an exceptionally fine number. It is full from cover to cover with all that is good concerning Hawaii. An article by Rev. W. D. Westervelt on "The Shark Man of Waipua Valley" is splendidly written and a very interesting article.

SUGAR ON KAUALA.

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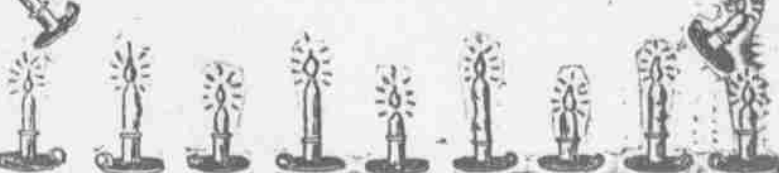
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